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THE SPECTRE IN RED.

There exists a tradition that the Louvre, this great square, and the Tuileries Palace, where it stood over there to our right, and haunted by a spectre called "Le Petit Homme Rouge." The appearance of this spectre is always followed by a national misfortune—civil commotion, revolution, public disaster or the death of the head of the State. When Catherine de Medicis built the Tuileries she took forcible possession of a lot of other people's property, including a butcher shop, the owner of which was known among his neighbors as the "Little Man in Red," because of his bloody business. This butcher was a witness of some of the memorable adventures of Kate de Medicis, and in order to be sure of his silence the queen mother had him decoyed into a subterranean passageway that connected the Tuileries with the Louvre, where he was murdered. The spirit of this poor fellow took up its abode in the garret of the new palace, and ever since he has been a herald of death or misfortune. In the latter days of the reign of the grand roi the "Petit Homme Rouge" showed himself to Louis XIV., and then followed a ruinous and disastrous war, the death of the Duke of Burgoyne and his wife within six days of each other and then the King's own death. Louis XV. next mounted the French throne and was called by his people "le bien aime." One day the "Little Man in Red" showed himself to the King, and not long after he died with the smallpox, loathed and deserted; he died as hated and detested a monarch as ever sat on a throne. Poor Louis XVI. must have seen the butcher's ghost the first night he slept in the Tuileries after that howling mob had forced the royal family to move into Paris from Versailles. On the 20th of June, 1792, the sans culottes gathered in this Place du Carrousel and forced their way into the palace. For six long hours the royal family were forced to witness a defile of the vilest scum through rich apartments. The King and Queen sat at the council table; the princess Elizabeth sat beside her mother, who held the young Dauphin in her arms, and from time to time stood him on the table for the people to look at. One fellow took off his red cap and placed it on the head of the infant dauphin, who began to laugh and to amuse himself by peeping out from under it of the crowd. The beast of a senter, finding that this baby incident was putting the rabble into a good humor, shouted out: "Take off the cap. Don't you see it is stifling the child?" Among the spectators of this extraordinary scene was a young lieutenant of artillery, who, as he walked away when all was over, remarked: "With these cannon planted at the Palace door I could have swept the Place du Carrousel of all this scum in five minutes." That officer, Bonaparte by name, was destined to be the immediate successor of Louis XVI. in the Tuileries, and only three years later he had an opportunity to show the effect of skillfully handled guns on a mob, when from the steps of St. Roch Church he cleared the same place and put an end to the Reign of Terror.

THE BLESSING OF FUN.

As a people, we are given to sobriety of demeanor. Mirthfulness and jollity are hardly to be reckoned as among our prominent national characteristics; albeit we are not without a certain dry humor and wit of our own, and know the droll thing when we see it. But we do not laugh very much. The stamp that the grim and decorous Puritan and the stately and gracious cavalier set upon our country when they landed upon its shores, has never been removed.

Not all the influx of streams from many nations—jovial German, prodigal Irish, passionate Spanish, mercenary French, or tranquil Swede—has taken from us, as a people, the sober, grave, steady, self-repressed exterior, which is second nature with all English-speaking folk; yet we are glad when we are made to laugh in spite of ourselves. The man who of a village newspaper, becomes suddenly a popular man; and waking up some fine morning, finds himself famous. The darling of the lyceum is the man who successfully mimics the foibles and follies of the times, with a spice of fun dashing the satire of his description. The ballad that sings its way into every body's heart has a touch of drollery mingled with its pathos, and the preacher whose sermons are touched here and there with an honest good-humor or a streak of genuine mirth, is sure to be sought by the many. We all crave the rest and recreation that lie in amusement, and better than a hundred prescriptions from the pharmacopoeia is the tonic that lingers in a hearty laugh.

The other day, tired and dispirited, we took our journey homeward in a car about half full of people, who, like ourselves, were spiritless and weary. An old apple woman sat in one corner, an elderly gentleman, with immense whiskers and a gold-headed cane, read the paper in another. In the middle, frigid as a breath from Greenland's icy mountains, erect and stiff, sat a fashionable lady, and dotted here and there were young and middle-aged men and women, with their business written all over their faces and forms. Into this assembly, all as unsympathetic as so many sphinxes, suddenly entered, with clatter and bustle, and sparkle and ripple of voices, and little crescendo and diminuendo peals of laughter, a half a dozen school girls. They were glowing with health and overflowing with fun, and by the very sunshine of their presence, in a half moment or so, they wrought a metamorphosis in that car. The apple woman forgot that she was going home to dry bread and cold potatoes; the gold-headed cane man put his paper down and looked benevolent; the lady of ice melted perceptibly; and we asked mentally to be forgiven for having felt irritable. There is a blessing in fun.

THE GREAT RAG FAIR.

In an open space adjacent to Honnold's is held Rag Fair, the greatest old cloth mart in the metropolis. Here assemble hundreds of grimy Israelites, many bent double with age and boasting physiognomies that Gustave Dore would have loved to limn, eager to buy any old garment, no matter how tattered or greasy. The busy day of the week here is Sunday, and a more extraordinary sight than may be gained while listening to the chattering and bargaining that goes on here for hours on a Sabbath morning can hardly be witnessed, even in London. The worst of it is however that the visitor who is simply there out of curiosity finds it extremely difficult to satisfy the dealers that he really has nothing to dispose of. The average Jew is so uncommonly sure that he cannot believe that any sane being would brave the maledors and squalid surroundings of Rag Fair unless he came there to turn an honest penny. Petticoat lane, also close by, is a great sight on Sunday morning. Almost every conceivable article that can be carried about on a street barrow is here exposed for sale, and up and down the narrow thoroughfares crowds of the poorer class of Jews elbow their way, scrutinizing the wares, pricing the articles, and now and again making a small purchase. To the stranger the remarkably spiced confectionery and other doubtful delicacies in which the children of Israel delight form not the least interesting part of the show. Here, too, we see relays of Spanish olives and Dutch cucumbers pickled in water, herrings saturated in brine, and dried flesh of beef and mutton, German sausages and fish of all sorts stewed with lemons and eggs, or fried in oil. At Easter-time, too, there is an abundance of matzo, or unleavened cakes, used at the feast of the Passover.

DEAN BALLOTS IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Nice people, who don't know a great deal, sometimes laugh because the General Court of Massachusetts early (1843) ordered that for the yearly choosing of assistants "the freemen shall use Indian corn and beans, the Indian corn to manifest election, the beans contrary." The custom is kept up to this day in the Massachusetts Historical Society. Now in all the popular states of antiquity election and rejection of magistrates were signified by beans. The maxim of Pythagoras, "Abstain from the bean," signified "keep out of politics," as any Greek scholar will tell you.

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W. D. Williams, U. S. Pension Agent and Notary Public, New Vienna, Clinton County, Ohio, writes: "I take great pleasure in testifying to your medicines. I have used about one bottle and a half, and can say I am almost a new man. I have had the cough about twenty years. Before I knew what it was, had settled on the lungs and breast, but can now say I am almost well. Was in the army; could get no medicine there that would relieve me." Col. E. Finger, Ashland, Ohio, writes: "I am happy to say I have used several bottles of your medicine, called PERUNA, and my health has been greatly improved by it. I cheerfully recommend PERUNA to all who suffer with heart trouble, as being an invaluable medicine."

Rev. J. M. Ingling, Altamont, Ill., writes: "My father-in-law, who resides with me, has been ailing very long. PERUNA for kidney disease, which has afflicted him for forty years and could get no relief until he saw your medicine. I induced him to try a bottle; which he did, and the one bottle of PERUNA and one bottle of MALARIN has given him more relief than all the other medicines he ever used."

Mr. Robert Grimes, Rendville, Ohio, writes: "My wife has been an intense sufferer from chronic catarrh, and after every other remedy had failed, she commenced to use your PERUNA and MALARIN. They have helped my dear wife more than anything else has ever done. She has now taken two bottles, and is so much better that she will never quit its use until she is entirely well. It has wonderfully improved her sight. We think PERUNA and MALARIN will cure any disease."

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